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FM AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1536

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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MASS, LE, US

SUBJECT: SUPPLY OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO LEBANON

REF: STATE 52984

1. DURING CALL ON PRES FRANGIE APRIL 9, I ALSO INFORMED HIM OF DEPT DECISION TO EXPEDITE DELIVERY OF EQUIPMENT AS DESCRIBED REFTEL. HE WAS MOST PLEASED.

2. PRES INDICATED HE FAVORED PURCHASE OF US ARMORED CARS OVER PORTUGUESE BRAVIO EVEN THOUGH OURS IS MUCH MORE EXPENSIVE, AND HAD INSTRUCTED DEFENSE MIN TO PUT MATTER TO CABINET FOR DECISION SOON.
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*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

*** Current Classification *** SECRET

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